

British Authoress is Speaker at Murkland

Sororities and Women's Dorms Hold Xmas Parties

Many of the women's dormitories and sororities have held Christmas parties during the past week. In order to lend an air of Chistmas cheer and gaiety to the campus, the girls have decorated the dorms and houses with colored lights and green boughs. Small gifts were exchanged among the members of the various houses and refreshments were served.

Parties were held at Alpha Chi Omega, Theta Upsilon, Pi Lambda Sigma, Phi Mu and Alpha Xi Delta sororities, and in the dormitory group, Congreve, Bickford, and Smith halls.

At the Alpha Xi Delta party, Miss Marion Beckwith was the guest speaker.

Campus Social Poll Part Three

(This is the third in a series of reports summarizing the results of a poll of social activities taken last year. This article deals with student social activities. The two preceding articles have presented personal data about students necessary to the interpretation of the results of the actual social poll.)

The first question in this part of the questionnaire lists a number of un-organized student activities and the student was asked to indicate the extent of his participation in these activities and the degree of enjoyment derived from them.

The men listed outdoor recreation radio and victrola, leisure reading, indoor recreation, and sports, movies, informal discussion, motoring, dancing, hobbies, plays, concerts, visiting art museums, card playing, and lectures as their favorites in the order named.

Leisure reading was listed as the women's favorite unorganized activity followed by outdoor recreation, radio and victrola, dancing, informal discussion, plays, motoring, movies, concerts, indoor sports, hobbies, visiting museums, lectures and card playing.

The question on the frequency of participation in these activities brought out some striking facts. According to the report, thirty per cent of the students never visit museums and about the same number never attend concerts. About fifteen per cent report they never attend voluntary lectures or plays. But on the whole the scope of student participation is extensive.

The second set of questions in this division deals with the expenditure of time and money on social and recreational activities. Assuming an average of less than fifteen hours a week for recreation is low, the committee finds that about two-thirds of the agricultural college men, about three-fifths of the technology students, about one-half of the Liberal Arts men and two-fifths of the Liberal Arts women spend too little time on recreation.

Along the same line of questions was a question on the amount of time spent in dating by both men and women. The results indicate that fifty-seven per cent of all students date less than three hours a week and that only six

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Addresses Assembly on Theme 'Love and Marriage'. Capacity Crowd Fills Hall

Miss Phyllis Bottome, noted British authoress, spoke to an overcrowded auditorium in Murkland hall Wednesday night on the subject of "Love and Marriage." Miss Bottome expressed her pleasure at so large an audience and at her opportunity to speak here. The silver-haired, black-gowned woman began her brief talk by quoting the old saying that the Bible began with a man and a woman in a garden and ended with Revelations. More people have written, talked, and sung about love than about any other subject, yet very little is known about it by the average young person. Human love is frequently regarded as a "gift from the Gods that slips through our fingers", but in reality it is the easiest thing in the world to gain and keep. The fact that the other person belongs to the opposite sex makes it much easier.

Miss Bottome continued by pointing out that love is the only force that can create life. Hate, the other great emotion, can cause only negative and evil results.

She stated that three common reasons for marrying, namely: just to be adored and petted, to have someone to domineer, and because you consider your prospective mate perfection personified—these reasons never lead to a happy conclusion.

Miss Bottome divided the marriage relations into the following general types; the "Boa constrictor and the Rabbit", the "Competitor", the "Tight-rope walker" and the "Fifty-fifty". Most of the great tragic love stories belong to the first of these classifications. She cited as examples Anthony and Cleopatra, Nelson and Lady Hamilton, and Lady Godiva. Despite his attachment for the departed Beatrice, Dante comes under this heading as he treated his wife, the mother of his sixteen children, very poorly.

Secondly, she considered the "Competitor", which she believed to be the worst of all married offenders. Such people are insanely jealous of each other's successes, and are little more than prestige hunters.

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Mrs. Inman Directs Pageant For Local Organizations

"Living Portraits of the Madonnas", a Christmas program directed by Mrs. Henry Inman of Boston was presented at the Community house Friday afternoon under the auspices of the Woman's club, the Women's guild, the University Folk club, and its Great Bay Branch, and the American Association of University Women. Mrs. William Hartwell, President of the Woman's club presided.

Mrs. Harlan Bisbee acted as narrator, reading a brief history of the painting of madonnas from earliest examples to more modern times, and introducing the fourteen pictures in the program.

Christmas music, under the direction of Mrs. E. T. Huddleston of the music department of the Woman's club, was arranged as a background. In addition

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Program Released For Annual Winter Carnival Week-end

Hockey Game, Slalom and Downhill Skiing, and Fire-works are Feature Events

The Winter Carnival Program Committee, has just released a tentative schedule of events for the coming festivities on the week-end of February 2, 3, 4. This program which includes many of the events of last year's carnival has, in addition, several new attractions which should make it one of the highlights of New England's winter activities.

After the 1939 Winter Carnival has been officially opened with a hockey game scheduled at 7:00 P. M. on Thursday there will be an exhibition of fire-works which will usher in the annual Outdoor Night with its figure skating,

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Sanford Bates is Forum Speaker

Community agencies and the New Hampshire Probation Service were under discussion last evening by justices, legislators, educators, and youth workers in the second public forum conducted at the University.

Main speaker of the meeting was Sanford Bates, formerly director of the Federal Bureau of Prisons, Washington, D. C., and now executive director of the Boys' Clubs of America, New York city. Active in law enforcement work since his graduation from Northeastern, Mr. Bates opened legal practice in Boston in 1919. In 1925 he represented the United States government as its official delegate to the International Prison congress in London, the next year serving as vice-president of the meetings held at Prague. Five years later he was appointed chairman of the delegation to the Penal and Penitentiary congress at Berlin.

A member of various state and national commissions on the investigation of criminal law, Mr. Bates is a member of the American Prison association, serving as its president in 1926, and the Crime Study commission. He has also held many other investigation board positions, and until his resignation in 1937 was director of the Bureau of Prisons of the United States.

Dr. Mason Attends Brown Dedication

Dr. Charles M. Mason, associate professor of chemistry, will represent the University of New Hampshire at the dedication of the Metcalf Research Laboratory at Brown University on December 28. The Metcalf Laboratory will be one of the most modern and complete in the East, and a distinguished gathering of scientists is expected to be present at the dedication ceremonies.

Two lectures by eminent chemists are to be given, the first, on "The Development of the Theory of Electrolytes", by Niels Bjerrum, Professor of chemistry at the Royal College at Copenhagen, Denmark. Prof. Bjerrum is the visiting lecturer in chemistry at Brown. Frederick George Keyes, Professor of physicochemical research at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will speak on "Contrasts" later in the afternoon.

The actual dedication activities will take place on the terrace of the new laboratory at 3:30 p. m., after which a general inspection of the building will be held. The concluding event of the exercises will be the Dedication Dinner in the Hotel Narragansett, at which members of the American Chemical Society will be guests of Brown University.

University Glee Clubs Give Christmas Concert

Chorus and Orchestra Offer Selections from Handel's "Messiah" Among Choral

The annual Christmas program of the University of New Hampshire combined glee clubs and orchestra took place last evening at the women's gymnasium with a good sized audience of students and faculty attending. This year's Glee clubs, said to be the best in the university's history, certainly lived up to that reputation last night. Under the direction of Robert Manton, composer, conductor, and head of the music department, they rendered many beautiful choral arrangements, featuring two selections from Handel's "Messiah", the "Pastoral Symphony," and the "Hallelujah Chorus."

Under the direction of Prof. Manton, the men and women's clubs offered a program of traditional hymns and carols to the accompaniment of the symphony orchestra under the direction of Mr. Elmer Wilson. Among the carols was "The Earth Has Grown Old", a composition of Mr. Manton's. Rev. Robert James, Christian work director, and Rev. Emerson Hagen, pastor of the Durham Community church, read the Christmas story. The program was as follows:

String orchestra: Pastoral Symphony—Handel

Break Forth O Beauteous Heavenly Light: choral—Bach

Midwinter: Hymn—Holst

Glory to God in the Highest: chorus and solo—Pergolesi

Cradle Song of the Shepherds: carol—Glatz Folk-Song

Hallelujah Chorus: chorus—Handel

Scripture Reading: Rev. Hagen

O Little Town of Bethlehem: Hymn—Redner

Tannhauser: orchestra—Wagner

Scripture Reading: Rev. James

Down in yon forest: carol—V. Williams

The Earth Has Grown Old (Phillips Brooks): carol—Manton

The Procession of Magi: chorus—Parker

Angels O'er the Fields: carol—Old French Carol

Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence: chorus—Holst

A Christmas Fantasic: orchestra and chorus—Grossman

Poverty Dance Is Held At Women's Gym Tonight

There will be a Poverty Dance at the women's gymnasium tonight from 8:00 to 11:30 P. M. Phil Haskell's band will furnish the music, and a prize will be offered for the couple with the best costumes.

The dance is sponsored by Blue Key, senior honorary society, and the forty cent admission fee will go to help purchase uniforms for the University band.

The committee in charge includes: General chairman, Donald Otis; Publicity and tickets, Edward Nagle; Decoration, Gordon Magay; Chaperones, Walter Webb; Band, Harl Pease; Robert Spaulding, prizes.

Chaperones will be Mr. and Mrs. Robert True and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Daland.

New Hampshire Graduate Continues Work in England

On the first landing of the stairs in James Hall is a plaque dedicating the building to Charles James, professor of chemistry at New Hampshire from 1906 to 1928. Hundreds of students, threading their way through the labyrinth of halls that is the chemistry building, pass before him every day, but of none, perhaps, would James be prouder than Charles R. Dawson, a graduate of New Hampshire in 1935.

Charles Dawson attended Claremont High School and was graduated from there and entered New Hampshire in 1929. Throughout his four undergraduate years he was an honor chemistry student. He was a member of Theta Chi fraternity, and won scholastic

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Refugee Student Fund

Contributions and pledges for the Fund to Bring a German Refugee Student to the University of New Hampshire had reached the \$225.00 mark at 4 P. M. yesterday afternoon. Approximately 330 students contributing brought the average per capita contribution to about 70 cents. Word had not been received from the fraternities (with one exception), Fairchild, East or West halls.

Dr. Oberlander Great Figure In Dartmouth's Grid History

by George Erb

The afternoon was cold and dreary as only New Hampshire afternoons can be in late November; dark, snow-filled clouds settled over Hanover. But no one was conscious of the chill that was reddening the faces of the thousands of spectators who had packed the Dartmouth stadium to cheer on one of the greatest Indian teams of all time.

Defeated Old Rival

Dartmouth was playing her ancient rival, the Big Red from Cornell. Two years ago this team had spoiled a perfect record in this same stadium, and, today, they were out to repeat that upset. But they overlooked the "Oberlander Express." With the

crowd chanting that nationally famous battle hymn, "Ten thousand 'Swedes' jumped out of the weeds at the battle of Copenhagen", "Swede" Oberlander passed, ran, and kicked his team to a 62-13 victory over the visitors from Ithaca.

Playing Last Game

He was directly responsible for six touchdowns and was a big factor in the scoring of the others. It was his last home game, since he was graduating the following June, and he made it his greatest game. In the three years that Swede Oberlander played with them, the Indians lost but one game, this to Cornell at the end of the 1922

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CUTTING CLASSES

The question of cuts has been raised at frequent intervals during the past several years, but as yet nothing has been done about the present indefinite "system". Professors are still allowed to treat the subject of cuts according to their own particular inclinations, and as a result we have everything from unlimited cuts to none at all. It seems that a more definite ruling would be desirable.

The most absurd feature of the present "system" is the practice of some professors of deducting a certain percentage from a student's grade if he has exceeded the limit set in that particular course. We were under the impression that a student's average was an indication of what he knew rather than his ability to sit through a class. If he has been able to succeed in his work without attending all the lectures, why should he be penalized? Does his proven knowledge of the course suddenly diminish when the professor checks up and finds that he has not been attending all of the regular class periods?

We will agree that some restrictions should be placed upon a freshman, especially during his first semester at the University. After the freshman year, however, a student should have matured sufficiently to realize that he is no longer an infant and that the responsibility for his progress lies solely within himself. Students are paying for their education and if they do not want to take advantage of it, a mere compulsory class attendance will not force an education upon them.

If a student feels that he will benefit more by reading or even sleeping than he would by attending a class, then he should have the opportunity to make the decision for himself. They say that college "trains you for life." Yet they will not permit a student to make his own decisions or judge the manner in which he can best spend his time.

Perhaps some professors fear that they will have to revise the old notes that they have been using for the past few years or give up the aged old jokes that have always pulled a (forced) laugh. There may even be a few professors who dread the thought of lecturing to an empty room. It might be better to lecture to two people who are interested than to twenty who are asleep. If the course is worth anything and the professor is worthy of the name, classes can be made so interesting and profitable that the professor does not need to fear empty class rooms.

Unlimited cuts would be good for the students in that it would permit them to judge values for themselves and give them a taste of the responsibility for success that they must face later in life. Students of college caliber that desire an education should be able to run their lives without the compulsion that is necessary with grammar school students. It will benefit the faculty in that it will force some of them to get out of their ruts and give the student something worthwhile for the time spent in class. An empty classroom would be a rather good indication that something was lacking.

Why not try unlimited cuts for the senior class for the second semester. They are the most mature group in the University and as such they would be most qualified to work under such a plan. If it were successful it could then be extended.

NEW SPIRIT

We have at times declared emphatically that "Joe College" was dead, but usually in the back of our minds was the fear that perhaps this was only wishful thinking.

This year, for the first time, we can make the statement without any serious doubts. The student body finally seems to have developed the seriousness that is supposed to typify the present day college student. Attendance at voluntary convocations has been excellent and several times the hall has not been large enough to accommodate all that desired to attend. Student attendance at the various concerts has also improved considerably. There seems to be a greater interest on the part of the average student in the affairs of the nation and in international affairs. This may be in part due to the tremendous significance of current happenings, but this is not the entire explanation.

At last the tradition of ivy covered walls and coonskin coats is being put aside as students realize their obligations to society and their place as future leaders in their communities.

Let us hope that this new spirit continues to grow and flourish.

RECENT EVENTS

by George Edson

Hans Forst, 33-year-old Brooklyn carpenter, returned to his modest home Wednesday evening to find a policeman standing at the entrance.

"What's the matter?" the carpenter asked.

"You wife and kids", the policeman said. "They're gone. Gas."

Forst rushed inside and found the bodies of his 26-year-old wife, Margaret, and his sons, Walter 3 and Arnold 17 months, laid out on a bed. He ripped the sheets which covered them and felt their cheeks.

"They're still warm," he shouted, "can't you do something?"

Police in the little room, where signs of Christmas were visible, told him that there was nothing left to do.

They explained that his wife apparently had been taking a nap, the youngest child clasped in her arms. Walter, infected by the pre-holiday excitement which had stirred his parents to do their Christmas shopping early, had remained awake.

The position of the jet handles on the kitchen range indicated, police said, that he had toddled into the cramped little room and amused himself by turning the shiny knobs. Four were open. Neighbors had smelled gas and called the police.

Forst refused to be consoled.

"We had made all our plans for Christmas," he said.

The police finally went away and left him alone.

At 4 A. M. Thursday two patrolmen in a radio car saw a man lying at the corner of Seventh Ave. and 60th St., a few steps from the Forst home.

They took the man to Kings County Hospital. It was Forst. He had swallowed poison.

"There's no need of living now, after what happened yesterday," he said.

Physicians said, however, that he probably would live to enjoy (?) many new Christmases.

TO THE EDITOR:

During the past week I have been victimized by some individual who seems to think that any coat he sees hanging on a hook is his. Since my reversible coat and a pair of gloves were stolen from the coat room at the Commons last Saturday noon, my attention has been called to the fact that coats, books, and other articles have been taken from the same and other places on campus during the past few weeks. That the situation warrants same attention is not open to dispute, but just what form that attention should take is another matter. I fully realize that it is easy enough to talk about doing something, but I also realize the difficulties involved in getting to the bottom of such a question.

As I have said the coat was stolen. I have every reason to believe that such was the case. In the first place, top coats don't just walk away. They have to be taken. In the second place, a coat much inferior in quality to mine was left on the same hook, and remained there for several days. Whoever took the coat used a large crowd to good advantage. Several freshmen going to and from the dining hall, together with the delegates to the I.R.C. conference on which I was working were in the adjacent rooms. I do not think that a delegate took the coat, since it was taken before they left the campus, and I saw nearly all leave.

Apparently I have been laboring under the supposition that when a person has intelligence enough to be admitted to college, he would naturally have a few grains of honesty. Experience proves that my supposition is false. If the person in question had come to me and honestly admitted that he had no coat, I only hope that I would have been kind-hearted enough to try and locate some covering for him. By resorting to theft, for which crime many who are better than he are now filling our prisons, he is not only debasing himself, but he is putting a black mark on the reputation of the University that he represents.

I only hope that this person who has deprived me of just two of this world's goods may have a Merry Christmas. I offer this wish sincerely, but without any feeling of altruism, in the hope that he may know that the true spirit of Christmas is in giving, and not in taking. Lawrence B. Swallow.

Needy Boys Given Xmas Party by ATO

In the first Christmas party of its kind held on the campus, the local chapter of Alpha Tau Omega will tonight be the host to twelve underprivileged boys from Dover.

The party will start at 6:00 P. M. with a banquet served at the fraternity house. Following this there will be a Christmas tree for the guests with the presents supplied by the members of the chapter.

The boys range in ages from 12 to 14, and are members of the Dover Neighborhood house, 35 Second Street, Dover. These boys are not orphans, nor are they completely dependent on charity for their subsistence. They would, however, probably be forced to spend the Christmas holidays with little in the way of presents or toys to show for it, except for outside generosity.

With this in mind, the members of A. T. O. formulated plans for the party, and through the cooperation of Dr. Charles Coulter of the Sociology department, arrangements were made with the head of the Neighborhood house in Dover.

Approximately sixty will be served at the banquet, with several faculty members as invited guests.

Beta Kappa of Kappa Sigma Wins Annual Boyd Prize

The University of New Hampshire chapter of Kappa Sigma was recently honored within its national by winning the annual Boyd Prize. This award of a cup, \$50.00, and national recognition was started by John Covert Boyd, one of the founders of the fraternity. The prize, on recommendation of the award committee headed by the National Ritualist, Charles I. Gates was made by the Supreme Executive Committee this month.

Not only its present fine condition won the prize for this house; the great improvement made in it by the members through the past three years had its effect. Four years ago, the Alumnus Advisor and the active members laid a definite plan for the rejuvenation of the property. The house was painted outside and in, and many rooms entirely renovated. New floors, ceilings, and walls were put in and new furniture purchased. Aside from this material improvement there was a vast change in the scholastic standing on this campus.

All these improvements and all the expenses were borne by the members of the chapter. No financial help was obtained from the Alumni or other outside sources.

DR. OBERLANDER

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season. In 1923 and 1924, they were undefeated and untied.

Andrew J. Oberlander, a stocky, blonde giant not quite twenty years old, entered Dartmouth in 1922 and he had not been there twenty-four hours when he was playing freshman football. He played his first game at right tackle and he proved himself to be the answer to any coach's prayer for a good lineman, both offensively and defensively. He was fast, he had power, he had brains. The following year he was first string varsity tackle. But at the end of the year, most of the backfield graduated and several new men were needed, especially a man about whom an offense could be built.

One day the coach, Jess Hawley, watched "Swede" Oberlander fire passes during a practice session. Every pass was perfect. The coach knew that here was the solution to his problem, so the 1924 season found "Swede" at halfback. From a good lineman, the "Oberlander Express" became one of the greatest players to ever wear the Green.

At Dartmouth, he majored in history, but upon graduating, he took a job as assistant coach at Ohio State.

Professor Schoedinger to Present Talk on Music

by John Neville

Professor Paul Schoedinger of the English department will present a program on music appreciation on the University Hour, Sunday, December 18, from two to three in the afternoon. The program this week will originate from DeMeritt hall in the electrical engineering laboratory. Since the vacation period starts on Saturday it will not be a public program.

Professor Schoedinger has been collecting recordings of the works of the masters by world famous artists and musical organizations since he was in high school and now has a collection of more than 1,800 records. In his collection are all types of music including the best music of the various nations.

Quite as interesting as the music demonstrated will be Mr. Schoedinger's remarks. Not only has he been collecting the works of the world's principal artists and composers, but he has also delved into the music lore of the nations. The series of music appreciation programs which he gave last year in Ballard hall were very popular with the students who filled the crowded quarters of the music department and even the stairs.

This Sunday Mr. Schoedinger gives his initial program over the University studio, which broadcasts through Station WHEB in Portsmouth at about 740 on the dial.

The University studio will be on the air every day during vacation, Sundays and holidays excepted. You'll be interested in the Book Review each Monday at 12:15. Shirley Barker of the library staff prepares the reviews which are read by Professor Robert G. Webster of the English department. On Wednesday Mr. Webster will give the weekly university news broadcast. The regular programs of the New Hampshire Agricultural Extension Service will go on the air at one o'clock each day.

While he was here, he became interested in medicine and so in his spare time he took pre-medical work. In 1930 he became head coach at Wesleyan in Connecticut and went to medical school at Yale. In 1933, he completed his studies at Yale, so he resigned as coach at Wesleyan and went to the Lakeside Hospital at Cleveland where he served as an interne until November, 1935.

Having finished all his studies, Dr. Oberlander worked as interne in the Department of Mental Hygiene of the State of New York for a year. Then, just previous to coming to the University last year, he started a private practice in Reading, Mass.

Dr. Oberlander was married in 1927 and now has two children, one six, the other eight. Both are boys and prospective football material.

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FRIDAY DEC. 16

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Netmen Plan for Vacation Practice

Lack of Ice Hampers Team In Practice Work; Twenty Men Selected to Return

The varsity hockey squad of forty-two candidates has been working but for about the past three weeks under the direction of Coach Ernest Christensen. Due to the scarcity of freezing weather, there have been only two or three days when the puck chasers have donned their skates and had any real practice. Most of the work is confined to two mile jogs along the highway and puck shooting on the handball courts.

In the event of freezing temperature during vacation, about twenty of the more promising aspirants will be called to Durham for intensive drilling. According to Coach Christensen, any player who is not summoned may return at his own expense and practice with the squad. There will not be a cut in the near future for without ice, on which to work out, the mentor has had no way of judging the ability of his material.

Coach Christensen whose resignation takes place January first will be replaced on that date by the newly appointed George Thurston.

The candidates for the varsity team are: Beaulieu, Brunel, Couser, Davidson, Fournier, A. Graham, E. Graham, Hazeltine, Huff, Hultgren, Johnson, Kimball, Lucier, Martin, McCrum, Otis, Parr, Preston, Quinn, Randall, Richardson, Patten, Rooth, Roper, Senior, Spearman, Tufts, Watkins, Wentzel, Wood, Patch, Gilgun, Carlson, Leavitt, Wallace, Bean, Larson, Foster, Braun, Findeisen, Sauer, and Hannineng.

With the Outing Club

Although the Outing Club cabin in Franconia Notch is open to all club members, we are asking that all those who are planning to use it during the Christmas holidays sign up on a list in Ballard hall. In this way, those who have their names on the list will have first preference in the use of the cabin rather than those who might just drop in.

On January 9, there will be a meeting of the entire membership of the Outing Club. As questions of vital interest will be brought up at this meeting, President Archie Dalton requests that all members be present. Further notice of the time and place of the meeting will be found in this column in the first issue of "The New Hampshire" after vacation.

STRAND

DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

FRIDAY - SATURDAY

SUBMARINE PATROL

Richard Greene - Nancy Kelly
Slim Summerville

SUNDAY - MONDAY
TUESDAY

THE SHINING HOUR

Joan Crawford - Margaret Sullivan

Ski Seam Entered In Canadian Meet

The University of New Hampshire ski team will participate in its first meet of the season at Lac Beauport, near Quebec, on the 28th, 29th, and 30th of December. This intercollegiate competitive meet is held each year by the Quebec Winter Sports Association. All five of the different types of skiing will be represented: cross country, down hill, slalom, jumping, and combined.

A six man team will leave here Sunday night, December 25, and upon arriving in Quebec will stay at the Chateau Frontenac, from where they will be transported by bus to the course ten miles away. The team will be composed of Robert Clark, who will enter the down-hill, slalom, and jumping events; Edgar Costello, in all events; Roger Peabody, in down-hill, slalom and jumping; Edward Rivera, in all events; Richard Snowman, in cross country, jumping, and combination; and Raymond Whitcher, in all events. Of the above named team, the first four are freshman, and the last two are experienced lettermen from last year. Peabody and Clark are from Franconia, where they were members of Dow Academy's winning ski team last season. Edgar Costello is from Berlin, while Ed Rivera hails from Hanover, where he attended the high school, and also Clark Prep School. All the boys have had a great deal of personal experience; however, they are expected to find college competition much stiffer.

According to Coach Ed Blood, the team will not be at full strength for the coming meet. Several members of last year's ski team graduated, and two promising freshmen left the University. The lack of snow so far this year has prevented much practice, so the aspirants will be working against great odds when they meet such powerful teams as Dartmouth and McGill.

Final Winter Sport Schedules Released

The schedules for the ski team and the rifle team, which were released by Carl Lundholm, acting director of athletics, this week, are as follows:

Dec. 28—Lac Beauport, Quebec
Feb. 3, 4—New Hampshire Winter Carnival
Feb. 10, 11—Dartmouth Winter Carnival
Feb. 17, 18—Middlebury Winter Carnival
Feb. 23, 24, 25 — Intercollegiate Ski Union Meet, at St. Marguerites, Canada
Rifle Team
Jan. 6—Lowell Textile Lowell
Jan. 7—Bowdoin Durham
Jan. 13—Bowdoin Brunswick
Feb. 11—Army West Point
Feb. 17—B. U. Boston (afternoon)
Feb. 17—Northeastern Boston (eve.)
Feb. 24—Northeastern Durham
Mar. 3—Lowell Textile Durham
Mar. 4—B. U. Durham
Mar. 10—M. I. T. Boston

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Deanna Durbin - Jackie Cooper

THAT CERTAIN AGE

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Lane Sisters - May Robson

FOUR DAUGHTERS



by Sumner Fellman

The coming vacation will be rather a short one for the members of the ski team and varsity hockey sextet. Ed Blood takes six of his boys up to Canada, directly after Christmas, for a meet at Lake Beauport, Quebec, while the hockey team returns to Durham about a week before the rest of the student body to get in a few days of much-needed practice.

The weather of the past few weeks has been generally unfavorable for the pucksters, with alternate snow, warm spells, and rain, and Chris is hoping that the present cold spell will furnish a strong ice surface so that he can get in some real work with the boys before he hands over the coaching reins to George Thurston, the first of next month. Thus far, hockey practice has consisted largely of conditioning work, with occasional shooting drill on the handball courts at Lewis fields.

Needless to mention, the ski team is suffering, too, from the lack of snow on which to practice. Except for a few days after Thanksgiving, Ed Blood's boys just haven't had any snow, and they've spent most of their practice time playing touch football. Regarding the Canadian meet — last year the Wildcats captured second place, behind McGill university, and nosed out the Dartmouth "B" team. This year, however, the Big Green first team is entering the meet, which makes the situation decidedly more difficult for New Hampshire. It's not yet quite evident how strong and well-balanced this year's Blue and White snow-gliding squad will be. The shortage in good jumpers is probably the worst worry, at present.

About the B.U. basketball game—it seems that the Terriers were just too strong and tall for New Hampshire. It's tough for a bunch of comparatively short lads such as Lou Cryans, Sparky Adams, and Stan Smith to click well against such giants as wear the Boston University colors, a factor which might account for the large score. Of course, New Hampshire has one tall player—flame-haired Walt Webb, but Walt is the only Wildcat who stands much over six feet, and unfortunately, he's not twins! Don't get downhearted, though! Height or no height, Coach Sauer's boys have plenty of victories in store for them before this season is over!

In the last week or two, quite a few more candidates have reported for winter track, bringing the total number out for the sport up to about 70. Naturally this pleases Paul Sweet enormously, although the popular track mentor still deplors the lack of weight men, hurdlers, and jumpers, especially on the freshman squad. Among the candidates to present themselves recently are Bud Keadin, a transfer from Manhattan college, last year, who has to his credit first places in the high and the low hurdles and a second place in the high jump, won in the National

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Intramural News

Bowling

The final standings in the bowling competition are as follows:

League I

Alpha Tau Omega 16, Alpha Gamma Rho 13, Theta Chi 12, Pi Kappa Alpha 10, Phi Alpha 7, Tau Kappa Epsilon 2.

League II

Sigma Beta 15, Kappa Sigma 13, Lambda Chi Alpha 11, Phi Delta Upsilon 11, Phi Mu Delta 8, Sigma Alpha Epsilon 2.

Dormitory League

Fairchild 12, Hetzel 10, West 6.

Ping-Pong

Intramural Ping-Pong Schedule

All games are to start at 7 o'clock. One point scored for each individual winner.

League I—Alpha Tau Omega, Theta Chi, Sigma Beta, Alpha Gamma Rho, Tau Kappa Epsilon, Theta Kappa Phi, Lambda Chi Alpha.

League II—Phi Delta Upsilon, Phi Mu Delta, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Kappa Sigma, Phi Alpha, Pi Kappa Alpha.

Wednesday, January 4 — Alpha Tau Omega vs Sigma Beta at Sigma Beta. Alpha Gamma Rho vs Theta Chi at Alpha Gamma Rho. Tau Kappa Epsilon vs Lambda Chi Alpha at Tau Kappa Epsilon. Phi Delta Upsilon vs Phi Mu Delta at Phi Mu Delta. Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs Pi Kappa Alpha at Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Kappa Sigma vs Phi Alpha at Kappa Sigma.

Monday, Jan. 9—Alpha Tau Omega vs Alpha Gamma Rho at Alpha Gamma Rho. Tau Kappa Alpha vs Theta Chi at Theta Chi. Theta Kappa Phi vs Lambda Chi Alpha at Lambda Chi Alpha. Phi Delta Upsilon vs Sigma Alpha Epsilon at Phi Delta Upsilon. Kappa Sigma vs Pi Kappa Alpha at Kappa Sigma.

Wednesday, Jan 11—Sigma Beta vs Alpha Gamma Rho at Sigma Beta. Theta Kappa Phi vs Theta Chi at Theta Kappa Phi. Phi Mu Delta vs Kappa Sigma at Phi Mu Delta. Phi Alpha vs Pi Kappa Alpha at Phi Alpha.

Monday, Feb. 7—Sigma Beta vs Theta Kappa Phi at Sigma Beta. Alpha Gamma Rho vs Tau Kappa Epsilon at Alpha Gamma Rho. Phi Delta Upsilon vs Pi Kappa Alpha at Phi Delta Upsilon. Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs Kappa Sigma at Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Thursday, Feb. 9—Alpha Tau Omega vs Theta Chi at Theta Chi. Sigma Beta vs Lambda Chi Alpha at Lambda Chi Alpha. Alpha Gamma Rho vs Theta Kappa Phi at Theta Kappa Phi. Phi Mu Delta vs Pi Kappa Alpha at Phi Mu Delta. Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs Phi Alpha at Phi Alpha. Phi Delta Upsilon vs Kappa Sigma at Kappa Sigma.

Monday, Feb. 13 — Sigma Beta vs Theta Chi at Theta Chi. Alpha Gamma Rho vs Lambda Chi Alpha at Lambda Chi Alpha. Tau Kappa Epsilon vs Theta Kappa Phi at Tau Kappa Epsilon. Phi Mu Delta vs Phi Alpha at Phi Alpha at Tau Kappa Epsilon. Phi Mu Delta vs Phi Alpha at Phi Mu Delta.

Thursday, Feb. 16—Alpha Tau Omega vs Tau Kappa Epsilon at Tau Kappa Epsilon. Phi Delta Upsilon vs Phi Alpha at Phi Delta Upsilon. Phi Mu Delta vs Kappa Sigma at Kappa Sigma.

Wednesday, Feb. 22 — Alpha Tau Omega vs Theta Kappa Phi at Theta Kappa Phi. Sigma Beta vs Tau Kappa Epsilon at Sigma Beta. Theta Chi vs Lambda Chi Alpha at Theta Chi.

Monday, Feb. 27—Alpha Tau Omega vs Lambda Chi Alpha at Lambda Chi Alpha.

Intercollegiate: Hal Jennison, veteran two-miler; and Art Bishop, another mainstay of the distance events squad. Coach Sweet reports that, on the whole, the team is progressing satisfactorily in its early conditioning work.

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Boston University Takes Hard Fought Game from 'Cats

Kopecky Leads Terriers To 64-45 Victory; Cryans, Adams Star for Wildcats

A capacity crowd filled the Boston University gymnasium last Tuesday to watch the Terriers overpower a hard fighting New Hampshire quintet, 64-45. The Wildcats were able to hold the renowned Solly Nechtem at bay but Irwin Kopecky, lanky center, took charge of the scoring, collecting ten floor goals and a pair of free tosses for a total of twenty-two points.

New Hampshire started off fast with Lou Cryans and Herb Adams setting the pace. Cryans was the first man to score and it was not until the Wildcats had a 6-0 lead that B. U. found the range of the basket. But once they got started, the Terriers went to work with a vengeance. Russ Lawry and Kopecky tied the score at 12-12 after Wally Webb and Ted Plante had put New Hampshire ahead 12-6. Then Kopecky dropped in a difficult side shot to put B. U. in the lead, a lead which they held for the remainder of the game.

With Kopecky sinking shots from all over the floor and Solly Nechtem collecting a basket or two, the Terriers were out front by a score of 27-20 at the half. New Hampshire cut this lead down slightly at the beginning of the second half as Lou Cryans and Wally Webb each scored a floor goal. But it was only a brief rally and B.U. forged ahead, increasing their lead steadily.

One of the chief handicaps which the team encountered Tuesday night was size. Nearly every New Hampshire man had to spot his opponent two or three inches. This difference seriously hindered the passing of the Wildcats and was a distinct asset to the Terriers. However, the team fought hard and special mention should be made of the playing of Lou Cryans, who scored seventeen points for the Wildcats, and Herb Adams, who scored ten.

The freshmen managed to keep fairly close in their contest but B.U. held a slight lead throughout. For the New Hampshire freshmen, Hall was the outstanding man on the court.

New Hampshire's next opponent will be Rhode Island State at Kingston on January 5.

Boston University Varsity

	G.	F.	Tp.
Petano, rf	4	0	8
Nechtem, rf	3	2	8
Doherty, rf	2	0	4
Black, lf	1	0	2
Lawry, lf	3	1	7
Nechtem, lf	0	0	0
Farrell, lf	0	0	0
Pence, c	0	0	0
Kopecky, c	10	2	22
Goodier, c	0	0	0
Olson, c	0	0	0
Rotman, rg	3	1	7
Alport, rg	1	0	2
Rosenthal, rg	1	1	3
King, lg	0	1	1
Cataldo, lg	0	0	0
Totals	28	8	64

New Hampshire Varsity

	G.	F.	Tp.
Adams, lg	4	2	10
Smith, lg	0	0	0
Flaherty, lg	1	3	5
Webb, c	4	1	9
Power, rg	0	0	0
McLeod, c	0	0	0
Cryans, lf	7	1	15
Fontaine, lf	0	0	0
Plante, rf	2	1	5
Boy, rf	0	1	1

Totals 18 9 45

Boston University '42

	G.	F.	Tp.
Fitzpatrick, rf	9	0	18
Demerrit, rf	0	0	0
Fanning, rf	0	0	0
Cassidy, lf	4	0	8
Clark, lf	0	0	0
Morris, lf	0	0	0
Williams, c	5	5	15
Radulski, c	0	0	0
Dunn, c	0	0	0
Purbeck, rg	1	2	4
Hutchins, rg	2	0	4
Libbey, rg	0	0	0
Thomas, lg	2	1	5
Erikson, lg	0	0	0
Dunn, lg	0	0	0
Totals	23	8	54

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N. H. GRADUATE

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tic honors from Phi Kappa Phi honorary society and Alpha Chi Sigma chemistry fraternity. But perhaps he was almost as well known on campus for his superb piano playing.

During the years 1933 to 1935, Dawson was an instructor in general chemistry and qualitative analysis. After receiving his master's degree, an assistantship enabled him to go to Columbia to continue his studies, where he made an excellent record. Last year he was made a University Fellow, which gave him the opportunity for full-time research. In June he received his doctor's degree, and was made an instructor in chemistry.

Dr. Dawson was immediately given leave of absence to take advantage of a Cutting Traveling Fellowship, which enabled him to study in England. He was interested in the bio-chemical field, and did considerable work in the laboratory of Sir F. Gowland Hopkins, the discoverer of vitamins and recipient of the Nobel prize for medicine in 1929. Hopkins was the first professor of biochemistry at Cambridge University, and has written several books on nutrition and biological chemistry. When Dr. Dawson has finished his studies in England, he will return to Columbia to resume his teaching activities.

It was no trouble to become accustomed to England, but our best New Hampshire chemist did fear that he was going to miss his Thanksgiving dinner recently, as our Turkey Day celebration is not held in Europe. But several of his friends and scientific colleagues, mindful of the enjoyable times they had spent in America, decided he should not go without his annual feast, and soon Dawson was agreeably surprised to receive an invitation to a Thanksgiving dinner. If we take the hospitality of the English as our criterion, it is safe to say that at no time in his life was Charles R. Dawson more interested in the cause of nutrition and less in its results!

BRITISH AUTHORESS

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The third undesirable type, the reliable, faithful "tightrope walker", believes he is fulfilling his duty by marrying weaker personalities to reform them.

The only successful type of marriage, in Miss Bottome's opinion, is the fifty-fifty kind; all marriages which succeed are of this give and take variety. Elizabeth Barrett and Robert Browning are the classic example.

Miss Bottome closed by stating that it is true that life is very hard, but that every young person wants to be in love. She warned the girls that they "couldn't hold a lover by making him look hangdog, for the male of the species needs lots of encouragement." She suggested that friendship made a reasonable, logical basis for love. Her last statement was "marriage is beautiful because one receives in return double the amount which he put into it."

Following her talk, Miss Bottome answered the questions asked her by the audience. She was aided by her husband, Mr. Forbes-Dennis, who was present in the audience. The militant authoress, who attracted widespread attention recently by her verbal attack on fascism and dictators, brought out strongly that she considered England had made a mistake by truckling to Hitler, and that she considered Chamberlain a well-meaning man, but one too old for his important job.

CAMPUS POLL

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per cent date more than fifteen hours a week.

There is a striking difference in the amount of time spent in dating by men and women. The percentage of men who date less than three hours a week is not as great as that of the women students. This is explained by the fact that the women make up less than one-third of the student body and it is expected that they would date far more than men.

WINTER CARNIVAL

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clown acts, and swimming through the ice by the Manchester Brownies. This will be followed by a Midnight Show in the Franklin theater at 10:45.

That same afternoon men from fifteen of the eastern colleges, including Harvard, Dartmouth, Yale, Bates, etc., will arrive to take part in the downhill and slalom events scheduled at 1:30 P. M. on Friday at Gilford; and also to try their luck on the Durham ski jump at 2:00 P. M. Saturday. Although the major skiing events on Friday are at Gilford, there will be inter-fraternity and sorority competitions here in Durham.

The key event of the week-end will be the Carnival Ball on Friday evening from 8:00 P. M. until 2:00 A. M., which will terminate a day of extensive activity. In addition to the skiing competitions, a one act play will be presented by the Mask and Dagger Society at 4:15 P. M., followed by a Torchlight Parade which will make the rounds of the campus ending under the "T" hall arch where the Queen's Court will be selected. At 6:30 the snow sculptures built by the fraternities and sororities will be judged.

Saturday morning will be devoted to general skiing, skating, and tobogganing. The afternoon's activities will begin with the ski jumping competitions, after which there will be a hockey game at 4:15 P. M. and a basketball game in the evening at 7:15 P. M. House dances at the fraternities will culminate carnival week-end.

The study on the amount of money spent in recreation revealed that one-third of students spend from fifty cents to a dollar and forty cents on weekly social activities. In fact less than forty cents a week on recreation. Less than one-tenth of the student body spend more than five dollars a week on recreation, with upperclassmen spending far more than freshmen.

Thinking that the dinner hour may be considered a social activity, the

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tion to choruses by the department, Mrs. E. B. Cowen, Mrs. Jesse Hepler, Mrs. Marvin Miller, and Mrs. John Grant contributed solos. Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Beddie Eldredge, and Miss Margaret Weir sang as a trio. Mrs. Clement Moran played two piano numbers, and Nathan Babcock gave two violin solos.

Tea, with Mrs. O. V. Henderson in charge, concluded the program.

All organizations contributed gifts to the small lighted Christmas tree which called attention to three Christmas activities—gifts for shut-ins, war veterans, and local Christmas baskets.

At a brief business meeting of the Women's guild, Mrs. Charles Coulter, president, accepted for the Guild a gift of two silver tea services presented by the Civic committee of the Woman's club, of which Mrs. J. Guy Smart is chairman. Mrs. O. V. Henderson made the presentation.

The Guild announces the following officers for 1939: president, Dr. Naomi M. G. Ekdahl; vice-president, Mrs. Perley Fitts; secretary, Mrs. Max Abell; treasurer, Mrs. T. Burr Charles; auditor, Mrs. Perley Ayer.

Those taking part in the living portraits included Mesdames A. J. Oberlander, Bradford McIntire, Samuel Craig, George McGregor, Byron Lane, Marvin Miller, Edmund Cortez, William Lyons, Alan MacLeod, Clayton Cross, Carroll Towle, William Kichline, Kenneth Barracough, Charles Justice, Lewis Ellison, and the Misses Marion James, Martha Woodworth, Romona Williams, Frances Ham, Barbara Ham, Patricia Towle, Cynthia and Shirley Floyd.

committee included an inquiry as to the amount of time spent in eating dinner. The returns seem to indicate that the dinner hour cannot be so considered as sixty per cent of the men and twenty-five per cent of the women spend less than twenty minutes in eating dinner.



B. U. TAKES

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N. H. Freshmen

	G.	F.	Tp.
Judkins, lg	0	0	0
Wood, lg	5	1	11
Monica, lg	1	1	3
Rocheleau, rg	0	0	0
Barnett, c	1	0	2
Blythe, c	4	0	8
Rivers, lf	0	1	1
Hall, lf	5	2	12
Grey, rf	0	0	0
Snow, rf	3	1	7

Totals 19 6 44

Student's Christmas Poem

"Stille Nacht"

Five stories high,
Guards at behest,
The Leader is feasted:
His mind is at rest.

Out on a corner,
Singing his Psalms,
A beggar stands humbly
Asking for alms.

On through the night
In the snow-filled street,
Echoes the tramp
Of the booted feet.

Forced from their homeland,
Game for the chase,
Mumbling their prayers
Flee a stricken race.

Five stories high,
The Leader makes jest;
Comes Christ as a beggar—
Shall the Leader rest?

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